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**UNHARMED.** *adj.* Unhurt; not injured.  
 In strong proof of chastity well armed,  
 From love's weak, childish bow she lives unharm'd. *Shakesp.*  
 Though great light be insufferable to our eyes; yet  
 the highest degree of darkness does not diseafe them, for  
 causing no disorderly motion, it leaves that curious organ un-  
 harmed. *Locke.*  
 The Syrens once deluded, vainly charm'd;  
 Ty'd to the mast, Ulysses sail'd unharm'd. *Granville.*  
**UNHARMFUL.** *adj.* Innoxious; innocent.  
 Themselves unharmful, let them live unharm'd;  
 Their jaws disabled, and their claws disarm'd. *Dryden.*  
**UNHARMONIOUS.** *adj.*  
 1. Not symmetrical; disproportionate.  
 Those pure, immortal elements, that know  
 No gross, no unharmonious mixture foul,  
 Eject him, tainted now, and purge him off. *Milton.*  
 2. Unmusical; ill-sounding.  
 His thoughts are improper to his subject, his expressions  
 unworthy of his thoughts, or the turn of both is unhar-  
 monious. *Dryden.*  
 That barbarous custom of abbreviating words, to fit them  
 to the measure of verses, has formed harsh, unharmonious  
 sounds. *Swift.*  
**TO UNHARNESSED.** *v. a.*  
 1. To loose from the traces.  
 The sweating steers unharnes'd from the yoke,  
 Bring back the crooked plough. *Dryden.*  
 The mules unharnes'd range beside the main. *Pope.*  
 If there were six horses, the postillion always unharnes'd  
 four, and placed them on a table. *Swift.*  
 2. To disarm; to divest of armour.  
**UNHARNESSED.** *adj.* Not adventured; not put in danger.  
 Here I shou'd still enjoy thee day and night  
 Whole to myself, unharnes'd abroad,  
 Fearless at home. *Milton's Agonistes, l. 807.*  
**UNHATCHED.** *adj.*  
 1. Not disclosed from the eggs.  
 2. Not brought to light.  
 Some unhatch'd practice  
 Hath puddled his clear spirit. *Shakespeare.*  
**UNHEALTHFUL.** *adj.* Morbid; unwholesome.  
 The diseases which make years unhealthful, are spotted  
 fevers; and the unhealthful season is the autumn. *Graunt.*  
 At every sentence let his life at stake,  
 Though the discourse were of no weightier things,  
 Than sultry summers, or unhealthful springs. *Dryden.*  
**UNHEALTHY.** *adj.* Sickly; wanting health.  
 No body would have a child cram'd at breakfast, who  
 would not have him dull and unhealthy. *Locke on Education.*  
 He, intent on somewhat that may ease  
 Unhealthy mortals, and with curious search  
 Examines all the properties of herbs. *Philips.*  
**TO UNHEART.** *v. a.* To discourage; to deprecate.  
 To bite his lip,  
 And hum at good Cominius, much unhearts me. *Shakesp.*  
**UNHEARD.** *adj.*  
 1. Not perceived by the ear.  
 For the noise of drums and timbrels loud,  
 Their childrens cries unheard. *Milton's Par. Lost.*  
 2. Not vouchsafed an audience.  
 What pangs I feel, unperceived and unheard! *Dryden.*  
 3. Unknown in celebration.  
 Nor was his name unheard, or unador'd. *Milton.*  
 4. UNHEARD OF. Obscure; not known by fame.  
 Free from hopes or fears, in humble ease,  
 Unheard of may I live and die in peace. *Granville.*  
 5. UNHEARD OF. Unprecedented.  
 There is a foundation laid for the most unheard of confusion  
 that ever was introduced into a nation. *Swift.*  
**UNHEATED.** *adj.* Not made hot.  
 Neither salts, nor the distilled spirits of them can penetrate  
 the narrow pores of unheated glass. *Boyle.*  
**UNHEEDDED.** *adj.* Disregarded; not thought worthy of no-  
 tice.  
 True experiments may, by reason of the easy mistake of  
 some unheeded circumstance, be unsuccessfully tried. *Boyle.*  
 He of his fatal guile gave proof unheeded. *Milton.*  
 Her hair  
 In a simple knot was ty'd above;  
 Sweet negligence! unheeded bait of love. *Dryden.*  
 The triumph ceas'd—tears gush'd from ev'ry eye,  
 The world's great victor pass'd unheeded by. *Pope.*  
**UNHEEDING.** *adj.* Negligent; careless.  
 I have not often seen him; if I did,  
 He pass'd unmark'd by my unheeding eyes. *Dryden.*  
**UNHEEDY.** *adj.* Precipitate; sudden.  
 Learning his ship from those white rocks to save,  
 Which all along the southern sea-coast lay,  
 Threat'ning unheedy wreck, and rash decay,  
 He nam'd Albion. *Fairy Queen, b. ii. c. 1.*

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Nor hath love's mind of any judgment taste;  
 Wings and no eyes, figure unhelp'd haste. *Shakesp.*  
 So have I seen some tender slip,  
 Sav'd with care from winter's nip;  
 The pride of her carnation train  
 Pluck'd up by some unhelp'd swain. *Milton.*  
**TO UNHELP.** *v. a.* To uncover; to expose to view. *Spenser.*  
**UNHELPED.** *adj.* Unassisted; having no auxiliary; unsupported.  
 Unhelp'd I am, who pity'd the distress'd,  
 And none oppressing, am by all oppress'd. *Dryden.*  
**UNHELPFUL.** *adj.* Giving no assistance.  
 I bewail good Gloucester's case  
 With sad, unhelpful tears. *Shakesp. Hen. VII.*  
**UNHEWN.** *part. adj.* Not hewn.  
 In occasions of merriment, this rough-cast, unheven poetry,  
 was instead of stage plays. *Dryden's Dedication to Juvenal.*  
**UNHIDEBOUND.** *adj.* Lax of maw; capacious.  
 Though plenteous, all too little seems  
 To stuff this maw, this vast, unhidebound corps. *Milton.*  
**TO UNHINGE.** *v. a.*  
 1. To throw from the hinges.  
 2. To displace by violence.  
 For want of cement, ribs of rock disjoint'd  
 Without an earthquake, from their base would start,  
 And hills unbing'd, from their deep roots depart. *Blackmore.*  
 3. To disorder; to confuse.  
 Rather than not accomplish my revenge,  
 Just or unjust, I would the world unbinge. *Waller.*  
 If God's providence did not order it, cheats would not  
 only juggle private men out of their rights, but unbinge states,  
 and run all into confusion. *Ray on the Creation.*  
**UNHOLINESS.** *n. f.* Impiety; profaneness; wickedness.  
 Too foul and manifest was the unhelms of obtruding upon  
 men remission of sins for money. *Religion.*  
**UNHOLY.** *adj.*  
 1. Profane; not hallowed.  
 Doth it follow that all things now in the church are unholy,  
 which the Lord hath not himself precisely instituted? *Hooker.*  
 2. Impious; wicked.  
 We think not ourselves the holier, because we use it; so  
 neither should they with whom no such thing is in use, think  
 us therefore unholy, because we submit ourselves unto that,  
 which, in a matter so indifferent, the wisdom of authority  
 and law have thought comely. *Hooker.*  
 From the paradise of God,  
 Without remorse, drive out the sinful pair,  
 From hallow'd ground th' unholy. *Milton's Par. Lost.*  
 Far other dreams my erring soul employ;  
 Far other raptures of unholy joy. *Pope.*  
**UNHONOUR'D.** *adj.*  
 1. Not regarded with veneration; not celebrated.  
 Unhonour'd though I am, at least, said she,  
 Not unreveng'd that pious act shall be. *Dryden.*  
 Pales unhonour'd, Ceres unemploy'd,  
 Were all forgot. *Dryden.*  
 2. Not treated with respect.  
 Grieved that a visitant so long shou'd wait,  
 Unmark'd, unhonour'd, at a monarch's gate. *Pope.*  
**TO UNHOOP.** *v. a.* To divest of hoops.  
 Unhoop the fair sex, and cure this fashionable tympany got  
 among them. *Addison's Spectator, No. 127.*  
**UNHOPE'D.** *adj.* Not expected; greater than hope had  
 UNHOPE'D FOR. } promised.  
 With unhop'd success  
 Th' ambassadors return with promis'd peace. *Dryden.*  
 Heav'n has inspir'd with a sudden thought,  
 Whence your unhop'd-for safety may be wrought. *Dryden.*  
**UNHOPEFUL.** *adj.* Such as leaves no room to hope.  
 Benedic't is not the unhop'fullest husband that I know; thus  
 far I can praise him; he is of approved valour. *Shakesp.*  
 I thought the routing style I wrote in, might prove no un-  
 hopeful way to procure somewhat considerable from those  
 great masters of chymical arcana. *Boyle.*  
**TO UNHOUSE.** *v. a.* To beat from an horie; to throw from  
 the saddle.  
 He would unhouse the lustiest challenger. *Shakespeare.*  
 The emperor rescued a noble gentleman, whom, unhoused  
 and fore wounded, the enemy was ready to have slain. *Knight.*  
 On a fourth he flies, and him unhouses too. *Daniel.*  
 They are forc'd  
 To quit their boats, and fare like men unhous'd. *Waller.*  
 The knights unhous'd may rise from off the plain,  
 And fight on foot, their honour to regain. *Dryden.*  
**UNHOSPITABLE.** *adj.* Unhospitable; Lat.] Affording no kindness  
 or entertainment to strangers; cruel; barbarous.  
 The cruel nation, covetous of prey,  
 Stain'd with my blood th' unhospitable coast. *Dryden.*  
**UNHSTILE.** *adj.* Not belonging to an enemy.  
 The high-prancing steeds  
 Spurn their dismounted riders; they expire  
 Indignant, by unhorse wounds destroy'd. *Philips.*

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**TO UNHOUSE.** *v. a.* To drive from the habitation.  
 Seek true religion: O where? Mirreus!  
 Thinking her unhous'd here, and fled from us, *Donne.*  
 Seek her at Rome.  
 Death unawares with his cold, kind embrace,  
 Unhous'd thy virgin soul from her fair biding place. *Milton.*  
**UNHOUSE'D.** *adj.*  
 1. Homeless; wanting a house.  
 Call the creatures,  
 Whose naked natures live in all the spight  
 Of weakful heav'n; whose bare, unhoused trunks,  
 To the conflicting elements expos'd,  
 Answer meet nature. *Shakesp. Timon of Athens.*  
 2. Having no settled habitation.  
 But that I love the gentle Desdemona,  
 I would not my unhoused, free condition  
 Put into circumscription and confine. *Shakesp. Othello.*  
 Hear this,  
 You unhous'd, lawless, rambling libertines. *Seuthern.*  
**UNHOUSE'LED.** *adj.* Having not the sacrament.  
 This was I sleeping, by a brother's hand,  
 Of life, of crown, of queen at once dispatch'd;  
 Cut off even in the blossoms of my fun,  
 Unhouse'led, unanointed, unanell'd. *Shakesp. Hamlet.*  
**UNHOUSE'LED.** *adj.* Not humbled; not touched with shame  
 or confusion.  
 Should I of these the liberty regard,  
 Who, freed as to their ancient patrimony,  
 Unhumbled, unrepented, unreformed,  
 Headlong would follow. *Milton's Par. Regain'd.*  
**UNHOUSE'RT.** *adj.* Free from harm.  
 Of fifteen hundred, eight hundred were slain in the field;  
 and of the remaining seven hundred, two men only came off  
 unhous'rt. *Bacon's War with Spain.*  
 I tread more lightly on the ground;  
 My nimble feet from unhous'rt flow'r rebound;  
 I walk in air. *Dryden's State of Innocence.*  
 Supported by thy care,  
 Through burning climes I pass'd unhous'rt,  
 And breath'd in tainted air. *Addison's Spectator.*  
 The stars shall fade away;  
 But thou shalt flourish in immortal youth,  
 Unhurt, amidst the war of elements,  
 The wrecks of matter, and the crush of worlds. *Addison.*  
**UNHOUSE'RTFUL.** *adj.* Innoxious; harmless; doing no harm.  
 You hope the duke will return no more, or  
 You imagine me too unhous'rtful an opposite. *Shakespeare.*  
 Flames unhous'rtful, hovering, dance in air. *Blackmore.*  
**UNHOUSE'RTFULLY.** *adv.* Without harm; innocently.  
 We laugh at others as innocently and as unhous'rtfully, as  
 at ourselves. *Pope to Swift.*  
**UNICORN.** *n. f.* [unicornis, unus and cornu, Lat.]  
 1. A beast, whether real or fabulous, that has only one horn.  
 Went thou the unicorn, pride and wrath would confound  
 thee. *Shakespeare's Timon of Athens.*  
 Unicorns may be betray'd with trees,  
 Bears with glassies, men with flatterers. *Shakespeare.*  
 Nature in comigerous animals hath placed the horns in-  
 verted upwards, as in the rhinoceros, Indian ass, and unicorn  
 beetles. *Brown's Vulgar Errors.*  
 It is not of consequence, that because Diocorides hath  
 made no mention of unicorns horn, there is therefore no such  
 thing in nature. *Brown's Vulgar Errors.*  
 Some unicorns we will allow even among insects, as those  
 naticornous beetles described by Muffetus. *Brown.*  
 Will the fierce unicorn thy voice obey,  
 Stand at the crib, and feed upon the hay? *Sandys.*  
 2. A bird.  
 Of the unicorn bird, the principal marks are these; headed  
 and footed like the dunghill cock, tailed like a goose, horned  
 on his forehead, with some likeness, as the unicorn is pictured;  
 spur'd on his wings, bigger than a swan. *Grew.*  
**UNIFORM.** *adj.* [unus and forma.]  
 1. Keeping its tenour; similar to itself.  
 Though when confusedly mingled, as in this stratum, it  
 may put on a face never to uniform and alike, yet it is in  
 reality very different. *Woodward.*  
 2. Conforming to one rule; acting in the same manner; agree-  
 ing with each other.  
 The only doubt is about the manner of their unity, how  
 far churches are bound to be uniform in their ceremonies,  
 and what way they ought to take for that purpose. *Hooker.*  
 Creatures of what condition soever, though each in dif-  
 ferent manner, yet all with uniform consent, admire her, as  
 the mother of their peace and joy. *Hooker.*  
 Numbers, being neither uniform in their designs, nor direct  
 in their views, neither could manage nor maintain the power  
 they got. *Hooker.*  
**UNIFORMITY.** *n. f.* [uniformitas, Fr.]  
 1. Resemblance to itself; even tenour.  
 There is no uniformity in the design of Spenser; he aims  
 at the accomplishment of no one action. *Dryden.*

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Queen Elizabeth was remarkable for that steadiness and  
 uniformity which ran through all her actions. *Addison.*  
 2. Conformity to one pattern; resemblance of one to another.  
 The unity of that visible body and church of Christ, con-  
 sisteth in that uniformity, which all the several persons there-  
 unto belonging have, by reason of that one Lord, whose  
 servants they all profess themselves; that one faith which they  
 all acknowledge; that one baptism wherewith they are all  
 initiated. *Hooker, b. iii.*  
**UNIFORMLY.** *adv.* [from uniform.]  
 1. Without variation; in an even tenour.  
 That faith received from the apostles, the church, though  
 dispersed throughout the world, doth notwithstanding keep  
 as fast, as if it dwelt within the walls of some one house,  
 and as uniformly hold, as if it had but one only heart and  
 soul. *Hooker, b. v.*  
 The capillamenta of the nerves are each of them solid  
 and uniform; and the vibrating motion of the aethereal me-  
 dium may be propagated along them from one end to the  
 other uniformly, and without interruption. *Newton's Opticks.*  
 2. Without diversity of one from another.  
**UNIMAGINABLE.** *adj.* Not to be imagined by the fancy;  
 not to be conceived.  
 Things to their thought  
 So unimaginable, as hate in heav'n. *Milton's Par. Lost.*  
 The skilful organist plies his grave-fancied decant in lofty  
 fugues, or the whole symphony, with artful and unimaginable  
 touches, adorns and graces the well-studied chords of some  
 choice composer. *Milton on Education.*  
 An infinite succession of the generations of men, without  
 any permanent foundation, is utterly unimaginable. *Tillotson.*  
**UNIMAGINABLY.** *adv.* To a degree not to be imagined.  
 Little commissures, where they adhere, may not be porous  
 enough to be pervious to the unimaginably subtle corpuscles,  
 that make up the beams of light. *Boyle.*  
**UNIMITABLE.** *adj.* [inimitable, Fr. inimitabilis, Lat.] Not to  
 be imitated.  
 Both these are unimitable. *Burnet's Theory of the Earth.*  
**UNIMORTAL.** *adj.* Not immortal; mortal.  
 They took them several ways,  
 Both to destroy, or unimortal make. *Milton.*  
**UNIMPAIRABLE.** *adv.* Not liable to waste or diminution.  
 If the superior be unimpairable, it is a strong presumption,  
 that the inferiors are likewise unimpaired. *Hooker.*  
**UNIMPAIRED.** *adj.* Not diminished; not worn out.  
 Yet unimpair'd with labours, or with time,  
 Your age but seems to a new youth to climb. *Dryden.*  
 If our silver and gold diminishes, our publick credit con-  
 tinues unimpaired. *Addison on the State of the War.*  
**UNIMPROVED.** *adj.* Not solicited.  
 If answerable stile I can obtain  
 Of my celestial patroness, who deigns  
 Her nightly visitation unimpro'd. *Milton's Par. Lost.*  
**UNIMPROVABLE.** *adj.* Assuming no airs of dignity.  
 A free, unimportant, natural, easy manner; diverting others  
 just as we diverted ourselves. *Pope to Swift.*  
**UNIMPROVABLENESS.** *n. f.* [from unimprovable.] Quality of  
 not being improvable.  
 This must be imputed to their ignorance and unimprovable-  
 ness in knowledge, being generally without literature. *Ham.*  
**UNIMPROVED.** *adj.*  
 1. Not made more knowing.  
 Not a mark went unimpro'd away. *Pope.*  
 2. Not taught; not meliorated by instruction.  
 Young Fortinbras,  
 Of unimproved mettle hot and full. *Shakespeare's Hamlet.*  
 Shallow, unimproved intellects, are confident pretenders to  
 certainty. *Granville.*  
**UNINCREASABLE.** *adj.* Admitting no increase.  
 That love, which ought to be appropriated to God, re-  
 sults chiefly from an altogether, or almost unincreasable eleva-  
 tion and valness of affection. *Boyle.*  
**UNINDIFFERENT.** *adj.* Partial; leaning to a side.  
 His opinion touching the catholic church was as unindif-  
 ferent, as touching our church, the opinion of them that fa-  
 vour this pretended reformation is. *Hooker, b. iv.*  
**UNINDUSTRIOUS.** *adj.* Not diligent; not laborious.  
 Pride we cannot think to flugghish or unindustrious an agent,  
 as not to find out expedients for its purpose. *Decay of i. cty.*  
**UNINFLAMMABLE.** *adj.* Not capable of being set on fire.  
 The inflammable spirit of such concretes, may be pretend-  
 ed to be but a mixture of phlegm and salt. *Boyle.*  
**UNINFLAMMED.** *adj.* Not set on fire.  
 When weak bodies come to be inflamed, they gather a  
 much greater heat than others have uninflamed. *Bacon.*  
 Un-